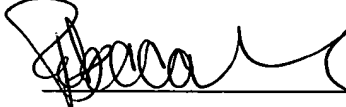




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Applicants: Sierra <i>et al.</i>	Confirmation No.: 4354
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to Examiner's restriction requirement mailed March 24, 2005, Applicants respectfully request that the following election and remarks be made of record in the above-referenced application. This election and remarks is accompanied by a petition for an extension of time for one-month together with the required fee. It is believed that no additional fees are due for this submission. If, however, any fee should become due or credit become payable during the pendency of this application, the Patent Office is authorized to charge or credit the same to Deposit Account 23-2415.

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